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Chateaubriand a Lover of Cats. Many famous men have loved cats-Cardinal Richelieu and Victor Hugo among others-but probably the ani mals' most eloquent defender was Chateaubriand, the French writer.

"I love in the cat," he said, "that independent and almost ungrateful temper which prevents it from attaching itself to any one, the indifference with which it passes from the salon to the housetop. The cat lives alone, has no need of society, does not obey except when it likes, pretends to sleep that it may see more clearly and scratches everything it can scratch."

And the great writer on another occasion went so far as to express a hope that by long comradeship with cats the city yesterday and to-day. he was acquiring some of their characteristics!"-London Times.

Pasteur's Gift to Society.

The normal death rate of civilized ter. countries before the days of Pasteur population. Today it is about fifteen to a thousand in the more progressive nations. Think what a saving of fifteen lives a year for every thousand of population means when applied to half the earth! It means the averting of 12,000,000 untimely deaths annually. It means more than 25,000,000 cases of filness avoided. It means bealth and happiness in 20,000,000 homes rather than disease and distress.-Bulletin of National Geographic Society.

His Drawback. "Girl, ain't you making a mistake in

marrying a football hero?" "But, auntie, consider how mired on all sides."

"I do, and I should think that would played in this city. make it very difficult to reduce him to husband."- Louisville Courier-Journal.

Cinnamon Bark.

poor, white, sandy soil. It must, however, have an abundance of moisture, the choicest growing in a temperature of 85 degrees, where the rainfall is about one inch for every degree of temperature

Postponed Wisdom.

"It's never too late to learn." "That's right. Sometimes it's an advantage to go slow and not get a lot off without."-Washington Star.

Criticism Implied.

"He doesn't like my cooking," sobbed the three months bride, a tear on her long lashes. "I just know he doesn't.

"What makes . you think so?" her mother asked. "Has he said he doesn't like your cooking?" "No-no-o," stammered the bride.

"Nonsense, child. It's just your imloveliest things for him for about two cided to become a raw food faddist.

GRANITEVILLE.

Bo-hoo-o-oo!"-Judge.

Socialist voters of Barre Town will hold a caucus in Losasso's hall, Webster- serve for three years; ville, Friday evening, Feb. 11, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of nominating a years. town ticket. Signed, Socialist town

TALK OF THE TOWN

New wash goods at Vaughan's. See the collars, latest, at Vaughan's. See Grace Cunard as the Scotch lassic at the Bijou. adv. St. Jean B. of A. will hold a public

dance in K. of C. hall Tuesday, Feb. 8. adv. Carroll's orchestra. H. Z. Mills of Church street is detained from his Church street store by an at- land to-night .- adv.

tack of the grip, Mrs. W. E. Davis of East Montpelier

Lucy Wells of Orange street. Atty. W. R. McFeeters of Enosburg Falls was among the business visitors in

Mrs. C. H. Brewer, who has been pass ng a few days with her daughter, Mrs. William Steward of Mount street, re turned yesterday to her home in Worces-

Mrs. T. G. Carswell of South Main was about thirty to a thousand of the street has completed her auties as head waitress at Hotel Barre. Her place is being filled by Miss Helen Lefevbre of Burlington.

> Mrs. S. Comolli of Cambria street has entered the City hospital for a minor operation, to which she submitted this R. M. McAllan of East Barre were united morning. Mrs. Comolli is expected to make a speedy recovery from the opera-

At the capital this evening Barre and Montpelier Knights of Columbus will to their East Barre home. meet for the second of a series of six | Special Notice-Ladies' night to night tournaments which the two councils are at the Buzzell rink. Open at 7 o'clock. holding this winter. There will be contests in pool and cribbage and members permitting, Friday, Feb. 11, will be carof the Barre team are asked to meet at nival night. Dress in any costuma you the K. of C. clubrooms at 6:45 o'clock. like, mask or not. Those dressed in the Last week the Barre knights took the most appropriate and comfortable cosfirst leg in the series, the matches being tumes will get the prizes. Everybody

Knights of St. Aldemar commandery, point of humility desirable in a good No. 11, K. T., are getting ready for their annual inspection, which is to be held in the Masonic asylum on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 16. Plans are being It is a seeming paradox that the best made for the reception of several repreflavored cinnamon bark is produced on sentatives of the grand commandery of Vermont, who will conduct the yearly review and inspection of the St. Aldemar knights. Supper will be served and other enjoyable features will mark the annual get-together.

CITIZENS' CAUCUS

The legal voters of the city of Barre, Vt., are requested to meet in Barre opera house in the city of Barre on Thursday of information you'd have been better evening, Feb. 17, 1916, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of nominating the following officers, namely: Mayor, city clerk. stable, three auditors, and three directors of old Boreas, outdoor conditions to-day for the French's Barre library, each to were quite as uncomfortable as any of serve for one year; also one assessor to the winter to date. A high wind, accomserve for three years.

Per order of the Republican and Demoeratic city committees.

WARD CAUCUSES

The legal voters of the city of Barre, agination. I felt there was no basis"- Vt., are hereby notified to meet in caucus the north, manufacturers were compelled "There is a basis," the bride insisted at the usual polling places in their re-tearfully. "I had been cooking the spective wards on Friday evening. Feb. though the "business as usual" sign was 18, 1916, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose weeks, and then he told me he had de of nominating the following officers, viz.: In ward two, alderman to serve for

In ward five, school commissioner to serve for three years;

two years;

In ward six, alderman to serve for two

Per order of the Republican and Democratic city committees.

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Beautiful line of silks at Abbott's, New curtain material at Vaughan's. Irving Martin of Williamstown was a usiness visitor in the city to-day, Francis Ford and Grace Cunard in "The Campbells Are Coming," at the Bijou.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Maude Fealey in "The Girl from Tim's Place," a three-part feature, at Dream-

Regular meeting of Sons of Veterans' auxiliary, No. 5, Wednesday evening. was the guest for the week end of Miss Feb. 9, at 7:30. Initiation and refreshments.

> ur will follow the meeting and refreshments will be served,

James Mavier of Summer street, who City hospital for several weeks, was able count of a mild outbreak of scarlet fever to go home to-day. Mr. Mavier's condi- at the seminary in January. The four tion is much improved.

A telephone has been installed in the

home of Alfred Milne, 17 Forsythe place, chairman of trustees of Clan Gordon, Anyone wanting information in regard to hall, park, etc., call 428-2, adv. Alonzo G. Taplin and Miss Catherine

in marriage at 6 Camp street Monday evening by Rev. James Ramage, pastor of the East Barre Congregational church. Mr. and Mrs. Taplin went immediately

began arriving in the city early this afternoon for their annual meeting, which opened in the rooms of Granite chapter, No. 26, R. A. M., at 3:30 o'clock. Members of the craft in Randolph, Montpelier and Waterbury were present and there was a considerable representation of grand chapter officers. George I. Whitney of Bellows Falls, grand lecturer, who arrived this morning, s to review the work at the ceremonial this evening. It was expected that a large number of Masons will be entertained at a dinner to be given in Masonic hall this evening at 6:30 o'clock. Granite chapter of this city will be in charge

of the exemplification of the Royal Arch

degree at 7:45 o'clock to-night. right around the zero line in thermome panied by a snowstorm that resembled a young western blizzardette last night was followed by lowering temperature toward morning. In certain sections where stonesheds are losted directly in the path of the wind as it fans its way through from the ice-locked provinces of to suspend operations this morning, alout over most of the plants. Weather forecasts have it that the wind will subside, although sub-zero readings may be expected at dawn.

A jury was empaneled late yesterday for service in the case of Persons & Berg vs. George W. Mann, an alleged breach of contract in which the plaintiffs In ward six, school commissioner to claim damages of \$200, a sum said to have been lost by them as the result of a delay in the delivery of a steam moun tain wagon in the spring of 1915. It is stated that the defendant, Mann, is a representative of the company manufacturing the steamer. The trial was started before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city ourt this afternoon at 1 o'clock, the following jurors having been summoned to hear the evidence in the case: Homer C. Ladd, W. F. Shepard, O. E. Philbrick, G. H. Pape, G. H. Hoyt, George Wood, D. J. Morse, Angelo Scampini, L. C. Beck O. K. Hollister, H. C. Patterson and E. L. Ward, Appearances were: R. A. Hoar, J. Ward Carver and E. R. Davis for Mann and E. L. Scott and O. H. Carpenter for the plaintiffs. It was expected that several witnesses would be called to the stand to testify on both sides.

PLAINFIELD.

Married, at the Methodist parsonage, Plainfield, Saturday evening, by Rev. Arthur Hewitt, George E. Pray and Charlotte H. Little, both of North Montpelier. No eards.

EAST BARRE.

Winona council and Wuchosen tribe

FOR RENT-Two steam-bested recens will give a hobo costume entertainment Kent, Aidrich block.

FOR RENT-Two steam-bested recens worthen block. and dance in Foresters' half Thursday, Admission, 10c. Fines will be charged those not in costume.

WILLIAMSTOWN. 3

Owing to her illness, the librarian will unable to be at the library to mor-

BARRE DAILY TIMES

TUESDAY, FFEBRUARY 8, 1916.

The Weather

Fair to-night. Wednesday increasing cloudiness and warmer; moderate west

TALK OF THE TOWN

Laces, special sale at Vaughan's. Clean-up sale on coats at Vaughan's.

Miss Nellie Brown of Cliff street is visiting friends in Manchester, N. H. Regular meeting of L. A., A. O. H., in reel Broadway feature, at the Bijou.-

Carroll's orchestra .- adv.

The funeral of Harry Galfetti, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Galfetti of Railroad street, who passed away early Monday morning, after an illness of eight days, was held at the house this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery on Beckley

R, railroad in Barre, whose death at his home on the East Montpelier road Thursday morning followed a brief illness of pneumonia, were held at the house Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, Rev. J. W. Barnett, pastor of the Barre Congregational church, officiating. The bearers were: Elmer Taft, Archie Taft, Andrew Johnston, Fred Davis, James Smith in Maplewood cemetery.

At the Bijou-"The Campbells Are Coming" is a military drama of the Sepoy rebellion in India in 1857, and contains battle scenes which have never been equalled in moving pictures. Francis Ford, Grace Cunard and Henry Schumm play the principal roles and are supported by several regiments of Canadian soldiers, who are now fighting in France. These soldiers were led into action by the Scotch Highlanders band of Vancou-

A meeting of the ladies' aid society of After a suspension of classes at God-St. Monica's church will be held at the dard seminary of nearly three weeks, sesconvent this evening at 7:30. A social sions were resumed at the school this morning with nearly a normal registra tion of students. Night classes are to convene at once and an effort will be has been undergoing treatment at the made to make up for the time lost on acstudents whose illness with the malady led to the closing of the school, are be ing cared for in a house on Academy street and all are convalescent. Students four in number, who developed symptoms of the fever after they went to their tion is holding a three days' session in cording to reports received by members for the purpose of conducting examina of the faculty.

William Steward of Mount street, who has been detained at his home for several days, is making good recovery from the effects of a misbap which he suffered while working at the Grearson & his machine, when he felt a severe pain town ticket. Signed, Socialist town in his chest. A physician told him aft. committee. erward that he must have come in contact with a sharp edge of the machine as there were indications that he had received a severe rap in the region whence Masons of the third capitular district the pain proceeded. Mr. Steward expects to be able to resume work within a fev days.

Fifty traveling men were registered at Hotel Barre last evening, nearly every room in the house having been assigned Among others who were registered at the hotel yesterday and to-day were the fol-lowing people: Mrs. K. Kentley of Roxbury and Mrs. A. E. Cover and Max G. Ayers of Waterbury, R. R. Edgerton and E. G. Clewley of Burlington, A. E. Pray and party of Warren, T. R. Waterman and Dr. H. N. Jackson of Burlington, J. M. McIntosh of Stanstead, P. Q., G. R. Joslyn of Orleans, B. C. Abbott of Bradford, G. F. Harlow of Rochester, E. M. Davis of Lakeport, N. H., H. H. Carroll and N. E. Pierce of Burlington, C. C. With a cold blast beating down from Frisbie of Milton, George V. Burr of the north and the mercury fluttering Hudson Falls, N. Y., J. F. Beckett of Burlington, H. E. Crown of Essex Junecity treasurer, first constable, second con- ters that were exposed to the icy breath tion, G. A. Colburn of Burlington and W. E. Metzger of Burlington.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the neighbors and other friends for their acts of kindness and generous expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement; also for the beautiful floral tributes. Mrs. Myrton Mason,

Gerald Mason.



Regular meeting of Iroquois tribe, No. 16. to-night at 7 o'clock. Entertainment will follow the meeting.



Regular stated convention of Vincitia lodge, No. 10, K. of P., will be held to-night at 7:30

EAST BARRE.



There will be a special meeting of Wuchosen tribe Wednesday night at 7:30 sharp. Business, to examine new uniform

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WANTED—Girl to do general housework in family of 3; must foreign references, and ex-perience. "X." Times effice. 2:30f

MONTPELIER

Marien L. Hoffman and Merley W. Putney Married To-day.

The marriage of Miss Marion L. Hoffman, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Buzzell of the East Montpelier road, to Merley W. Putney, son of A. D. Putney, also of Montpelier, was solemnized at St. Augustine's church this morning at 8 o'clock. the rector, Rev. P. J. Long, officiating The wedding was attended only by few relatives. They were attended by the groom's brother. Merton Putney, and See 1916 spring wash goods at Ab- by Miss Mary Conlin. The bride wore brown traveling suit with hat to match. After the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Putney K. of C. hall Wednesday evening at 7:30, are to reside at the home of Luman Cut"The Campbells Are Coming," a fiveler, where the groom has been employed for the past five years. The bride is a graduate of St. Michael's parochial school in the commercial class and for two years was employed as bookkeeper in Get your partners for the dance in in the commercial class and for two Howland hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 15. Years was employed as bookkeeper in the Stone Bros, store,

Work was commenced to-day on the Leland property on State street by the W. Shelton Swallow Co., which has the contract to erect the new playhous Representatives Dow and Noble of the Swallow company arrived in the city last evening and the latter will have charge of the work. If the weather is Funeral services for Myrton Mason, favorable, it is expected that the excafor 12 years an employe of the M. & W. (vation and foundation work will be completed by the first of April.

James Kanally of First avenue, who has been ill with rheumatism for the past few weeks, resumed his duties as conductor on the branch passenger train of the Central Vermont railroad this one final twist and roll over on his

In city court this forenoon James Mcand Walter Mason. There were several Donald of Cambridge, Mass., and William ble of killing him. But don't be foolfine floral tributes. Interment was made Fortin of Winooski appeared and pleaded ed. He's only playing possum. He's guilty to charges of intexication, second the spreading adder. offense in each case. Judge E. M. Harvey showed no partiality but gave each a sentence of 30 days in the county jail. McDonald and Fortin were arrested early last evening, being found by police officers near the Montpelier & Wells River

At the Daly bowling alleys lsat even ing Romeo Marriotti of Barre defeated Columbo of Montpelier in a five-string candle-pin match 504 to 446. Marriotti's high string was 118. Later, Marriotti and Hawkins defeated Reames and Bancroft five strings by nearly 100 pins. Marriotti was high man with a total of 514 and a single string of 126.

Sergeant-at-Arms Frank T. Parsons has returned from a brief trip to Burlington and St. Albans on business,

Charles E. Theriault of this city and Morris Ryan of Northfield went to-day to Essex Junction to attend, as directors meeting of state officers of the Cath olic Order of Foresters.

The state board of medical registrahomes, are none of them seriously ill, ac- the Senate chamber at the State House tions. There are several candidates.

EAST BARRE.

Socialist voters of Barre Town will Lane plant in Burnham's meadow last hold a caucus in Losasso's hall, Webster-Mr. Steward, who is employed as ville, Friday evening, Feb. 11, at 7:30 a lathe operator, had stooped over to oil o'clock for the purpose of nominating a

4 LADIES' LAMB'S WOOL in Oxford and Maroon, 40,

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The Spreading Adder Will Fool You if You Don't Know Him.

He's a sly creature, this snake. When he's discovered and trapped he'll make such a httabaloo about it, with his hissing and contortions, that if you're not wise to the fact that he's only bluffing you're sure to be frightened. If you're acquainted with him, however, and refuse to run, he'll give back, just as though he had made up his mind to die and save you the trou-

His tricks have resulted in all sorts of wild stories about him. Many people believe he's poisonous, because he spreads his head out flat and hisses when he's disturbed. As a matter of fact, he couldn't hurt you if you picked him up by the head. He's only bluffing when he hisses.

Then there's another story about the spreading adder to the effect that he will bite himself and fall over dead. This belief comes from his habit of playing possum when he sees he's cornered and can't escape.

The spreading adder is about thirty inches long, a reddish brown and blotched and spotted. He lives in dry woods and on sandy hillsides and eats tonds and insects. He's also called the blowing viper or the hognosed adder.-Philadelphia North American.

In the new British pharmacopoeia a 'drop" is defined as coming from a tube of which the external diameter is exactly three millimeters, twenty such drops of water at 15 degrees C. being equivalent to one millimeter or cubic centimeter.

Society. Mrs. Climber-You will find society is made up of two classes, my child Mrs. Climber-Undesirables and peo-

Letters and Postage Stamps. "Strange ideas some people have about postage," said the clerk who opens the mail. "Yes. See this letter here with three one-cent stamps on it and stamped 1 cent due? That's a case in point. The writer of that letter thought that perhaps it weighed a liftle over an ounce, a little more than . would go for 2 cents, and so he put on a little more postage-1 cent morewhich he thought would cover it, when the fact is that it required an additional two cent stamp. Of course you know that letter postage is not fractional, but that it goes in multiples of two. If a letter weighs ever so little over an ounce it requires an additional two cent stamp. But not everybody seems to know this, and so we some times get letters like this one with a little more postage for a little more weight,"-New York Sun.

Jenkins' Ear.

There was a war known as "the war of Jenkins' ear." It came about in the following way: In the year 1731 an English merchant vessel was boarded by a Spanish guardship, and the captain, one Robert Jenkins, was most cruelly used, one of his ears being torn off in the scrimmage. Obtaining no redress by appealing to his government, he appeared before parliament in 1738, when the convention of the Pardo was so excitedly discussed that war followed. Jenkins' story was verified by the admiralty records so recently as 1899 .- Exchange.

Definition of an Ohm.

An ohm, as defined by the international congress on electrical units and standards, is the resistance offered to the passage of an electric current by a column of mercury of uniform cross section having a mass of 223.0248 grains and a height of 41.8503 inches at the temperature of melting ice.

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